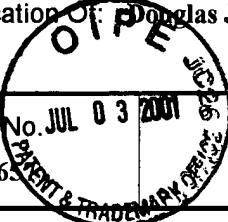


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

Docket No.
10857Z

In Re Application of: Douglas J. Hilton, et al.



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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of January 5, 2001 in the above-identified application.
Date:

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: April 5, 2001 _____ until: July 5, 2001 _____
Date _____ Date _____

The fee for the extension of time is \$890 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-1013/SSMP
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- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-1013/SSMP
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Dated: July 3, 2001

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